BOARD OF LICENSE COMMISSIONERS

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William A. Judge, Chairman Robert A. Bourque John E. Murray, Jr.

MINUTES OF MEETING

The regular meeting of the Board of License Commissioners was held on July 27, 2009 in the Veterans Memorial Room, City Hall, Fitchburg, and called to order by Commissioner Robert Bourque at 6:02 PM. Commissioner Robert John Murray was present. Commissioner William Judge was absent.

I. REVIEW AND ACCEPTANCE OF MINUTES FROM THE PREVIOUS MEETING. The minutes from the meetings held on June 29, 2009 and July 20, 2009 were reviewed, approved and signed.

II. CONTINUED HEARINGS

Fourteen Mill Street Corp., d/b/a The Cellar, 14 Mill St., Fred Blake, Manager for Transfer and Change of License Type of Annual, All Alcohol, Restaurant License to The Wine Cellar, LLC, d/b/a The Wine Cellar, 14 Mill St., Richard J. Boscardin, Manager. License type to be changed to General on Premise.

Mr. Fred Blake and Mr. Richard Boscardin were present. It was noted that the City Solicitor ruled that the applicant for the license is The Wine Cellar, LLC and not Mr. Richard Boscardin personally therefore the transfer is not affected by Chapter 120, sections 20 and 21 of the Code of the City of Fitchburg concerning the outstanding taxes owed by Mr. Boscardin. No one spoke in favor of or in opposition to the transfer. Application approved 2/0.

III. NEW APPLICATIONS

The Wine Cellar, LLC, 14 Mill St. for One Video and One Juke Box. (Viana) **Approved 2/0.**

The Wine Cellar, LLC, 14 Mill St. for 2AM Late Closing Seven (7) days per week **Approved 2/0.**

The Wine Cellar, LLC, 14 Mill St. for Entertainment Permit (type of entertainment not specified) Monday through Saturday

Approved for indoor entertainment consisting of blues bands, 3 piece bands and disc jockey 2/0.

IV. OTHER

Mr. Robert Kopelman, The Club, Inc., 535 Water St. for failure to operate as licensed. Mr. Robert Kopelman and Mr. Thomas Tramontozzi were present. They submitted a fax from FFD outlining the outstanding issues with the fire alarm system that must be addressed before a permanent certificate of inspection can be issued. The Clerk provided a copy of the Temporary Certificate of Inspection signed by the Building Commissioner and awaiting signature by the Fire Chief – this certificate expires October 27, 2009. Mr. Tramontozzi explained that they are

working on hiring an electrician to do the required work on the fire alarm system and attempting to come to terms on the financial terms of the transfer. He requested that the deadline for the transfer of license be extended to October 27, 2009.

The Board voted 2/0 as follows: To require that the transfer be completed (either transferred to Mr. Kopelman or request reversal back to Mr. Tramontozzi) by September 9, 2009. The issues with the fire alarm system must be completed by October 27, 2009. There will be no further extensions granted.

- Taxi Driver Applications
 Approved for two years: James Sullivan
- Correspondence
 Letter from FPD Chief Robert DeMoura and FPD reports #09-20920-OF, 09-20926-A-OF,
 09-20926-OF and Motor Vehicle Crash report 09-20924-AC were distributed to the
 Commissioners.

The meeting adjourned at 6:28	PM.	
Respectfully submitted,		
Anna M. Farrell, Clerk		
Approved:		
ABSENT		
William A. Judge	Robert A. Bourque	John E. Murray, Jr.